

SENATOR: Pruitt

S 0002-A**GENERAL BILL/CS by Education Appropriations; Carlton; (CO-SPONSORS) Alexander; Siplin; Pruitt; Lynn; Villalobos; Bullard; Crist (Identical 1ST ENG/H 0001-A)

Voluntary Pre-K Education Program; creates Voluntary Prekindergarten Education Program; provides eligibility & enrollment requirements; authorizes parents to enroll their children in school-year program delivered by private pre-K provider, summer program delivered by public school or private pre-K provider, or school-year program delivered by public school; requires appropriate adult supervision for pre-K classes, etc. Creates 1002.51-.79; amends various FS. Appropriation: \$11,778,639. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/16/04 SENATE Amendment(s) failed -SJ 00014; Substituted HB 1-A -SJ 00015; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 1-A

H 0001-A GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Goodlette; (CO-SPONSORS) Altman; Arza; Attkisson; Barreiro; Baxley; Bullard; Clarke; D. Davis; M. Davis; Evers; Farkas; Jordan; Kottkamp; Legg; Littlefield; Llorente; Lopez-Cantera; Murzin; Needelman; Patterson; Pickens; Sorensen; Stargel; Traviesa; Waters; Zapata (Identical CS/S 0002-A)

Voluntary Pre-K Education Program; creates Voluntary Prekindergarten Education Program; provides eligibility & enrollment requirements; authorizes parents to enroll their children in school-year program delivered by private pre-K provider, summer program delivered by public school or private pre-K provider, or school-year program delivered by public school; requires appropriate adult supervision for pre-K classes, etc. Creates 1002.51-.79; amends various FS. Appropriation: \$11,778,639. Effective Date: 01/02/2005.

12/16/04 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 00048

12/22/04 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

01/02/05 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2004-484

S 0008-A**GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Government Efficiency Appropriations; Atwater; (CO-SPONSORS) Lynn; Argenziano; Peadar; Clary; Siplin; Pruitt; Haridopolos; Aronberg; Villalobos; Posey; Crist (Similar 1ST ENG/H 0007-A, Compare H 0029-A, H 0047-A, S 0024-A)

Residences/Damage/Tropical Systems; provides for reimbursement of portion of ad valorem tax levied on house or other residential building if building is rendered uninhabitable due to named tropical system; requires that application for such reimbursement be made with property appraiser; provides for reimbursement of state sales tax paid on purchase of mobile home to replace mobile home that experienced major damage from named tropical storm, etc. Appropriation: \$35,070,000. Effective Date: 12/21/2004.

12/16/04 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00022

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

SPECIAL SESSION 'A'

SENATOR: Pruitt (Continued)

S 0008-A**(Continued)

12/21/04 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor;
Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2004-474

H 0007-A GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Murzin; (CO-SPONSORS) Altman; Anderson; Attkisson; Barreiro; Baxley; Benson; Brandenburg; Brummer; Bucher; Bullard; Cannon; Clarke; Cretul; M. Davis; Evers; Grant; Grimsley; Harrell; Jordan; Kendrick; Kreegel; Legg; Lopez-Cantera; Mayfield; Pickens; Poppell; Sorensen; Stargel; Traviesa; Vana; Zapata (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 0008-A, Compare H 0029-A, H 0047-A, S 0024-A) Residences/Damage/Tropical Systems; provides for reimbursement of portion of ad valorem tax levied on house or other residential building if building is rendered uninhabitable due to named tropical system; requires that application for such reimbursement be made with property appraiser; provides for reimbursement of state sales tax paid on purchase of mobile home to replace mobile home that experienced major damage from named tropical system, etc. Appropriation: \$35,050,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
12/15/04 HOUSE Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 00034; Ordered engrossed -HJ 00034

12/16/04 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 8-A

H 0029-A GENERAL BILL by Johnson; (CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Kottkamp (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0007-A, H 0047-A, CS/1ST ENG/S 0008-A, S 0024-A) Partial Ad Valorem Tax Abatement; provides for partial abatement of taxes on residential property rendered uninhabitable by named tropical system; provides duties of property appraisers in determining uninhabitability; provides duties of tax collectors; requires Legislature to appropriate sufficient amounts to counties & municipalities to hold them harmless from reductions in ad valorem taxes; provides for future repeal; provides for retroactive operation, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/13/04 HOUSE Ruled outside purview of the Call -HJ 00006; Placed in Rules & Calendar Council -HJ 00006

12/16/04 HOUSE Died, not introduced, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 8-A

H 0047-A GENERAL BILL by Johnson (Similar S 0024-A, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0007-A, H 0029-A, CS/1ST ENG/S 0008-A) Partial Reimbursement/Ad Valorem Tax; provides for partial reimbursement of taxes on homestead residential property rendered uninhabitable by named tropical system; provides duties of property appraisers in determining uninhabitability; requires that property owner provide documentation that property was uninhabitable; requires CFO to calculate reimbursements in conformance with amount appropriated & disburse reimbursement checks accordingly; provides for future repeal, etc. Appropriation: \$50,000,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/14/04 HOUSE Referred to Finance & Tax (FC); Fiscal Council -HJ 00038

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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SENATOR: Pruitt (Continued)

H 0047-A (Continued)

12/15/04 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00037

12/16/04 HOUSE Died in Committee on Finance & Tax (FC),
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 8-A

S 0024-A GENERAL BILL by Lynn (Similar H 0047-A, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0007-A,
H 0029-A, CS/1ST ENG/S 0008-A)

Partial Refund/Ad Valorem Taxation; provides for partial refund of
ad valorem taxes on homestead property rendered uninhabitable due
to named tropical system; provides procedures & deadlines; provides
duties of property appraisers; requires CFO to disburse refund
checks under certain conditions; provides for proration of refunds
if appropriation is insufficient to cover total amount of requested
refunds; defines terms; provides for expiration of act; provides
for applicability. Appropriation: \$20,000,000. Effective Date:
Upon becoming law.

12/13/04 SENATE Filed; Introduced, referred to Rules and Calendar
-SJ 00005

12/16/04 SENATE Died in Committee on Rules and Calendar,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 8-A

S 0010-A**GENERAL BILL/CS by General Government Appropriations; Garcia;
(CO-SPONSORS) Lynn; Siplin; Pruitt; Smith; Klein; Argenziano;
Villalobos; Posey; Crist; Wilson (Linked 1ST ENG/S 0030-A, Similar
1ST ENG/H 0009-A, Compare H 0027-A, S 0026-A)

Hurricane Deductibles; provides for Financial Services Dept. to
reimburse policyholders of residential property insurance for
multiple deductibles applied by insurers for two or more
hurricanes; limits maximum amount of reimbursement; prohibits
insurers from changing their method of waiving or applying
deductibles due to provisions of law providing for reimbursement to
policyholders, etc. Amends 627.701. Appropriation: \$150,000,000.
Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/16/04 SENATE Amendment(s) failed -SJ 00016; Substituted HB 9-A
-SJ 00016; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare
passed, refer to HB 9-A

S 0030-A PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Garcia; (CO-SPONSORS)
Siplin; Lynn; Villalobos (Linked CS/S 0010-A, Compare 1ST
ENG/H 0009-A)

Public Records Exemption; creates exemption from public disclosure
requirements for information held by Financial Services Dept.
pursuant request for reimbursement under multiple hurricane
deductible reimbursement program; provides exemption to expire
within specified period; creates exemption from public disclosure
requirements for information that would identify insurer or
insurer's employees, etc. Effective Date: Contingent.

12/16/04 SENATE Passed as amended; YEAS 40 NAYS 0 -SJ 00013

12/16/04 HOUSE In Messages; Died in Messages,

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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SENATOR: Pruitt (Continued)

S 0030-A (Continued)

12/16/04 HOUSE Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 9-A

H 0009-A GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Ross; (CO-SPONSORS) Altman; Anderson; Antone; Attkisson; Barreiro; Baxley; Brandenburg; Bucher; Bullard; D. Davis; Farkas; Grant; Harrell; Hukill; Jordan; Kreegel; Legg; Littlefield; Mayfield; Murzin; Pickens; Sorensen; Stargel; Traviesa; Troutman; Vana; Zapata (Similar CS/S 0010-A, Compare H 0027-A, S 0026-A, 1ST ENG/S 0030-A)

Hurricane Deductibles; provides for Financial Services Dept. to reimburse policyholders of residential property insurance for multiple deductibles applied by insurers for two or more hurricanes; prohibits insurers from changing methods of waiving or applying deductibles due to provisions of law providing for reimbursement to policyholders; requires State Administration Bd. to increase future premiums to Fla. Hurricane Catastrophe Fund, etc. Amends 627.701. Appropriation: \$150,000,000. Effective Date: 12/21/2004.

12/16/04 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 00048

12/21/04 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor;

Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2004-480

H 0027-A GENERAL BILL by Johnson (Identical S 0026-A, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0009-A, CS/S 0010-A)

Hurricane Property Ins. Deductibles; limits application of hurricane deductible amounts in calendar year; requires Florida Hurricane Catastrophe Fund to develop deductible loss reimbursement program for insurance companies. Amends 627.701. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/10/04 HOUSE Filed

12/13/04 HOUSE Introduced, referred to Insurance (CC); Fiscal Council; Commerce Council -HJ 00005

12/16/04 HOUSE Died in Committee on Insurance (CC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 9-A

S 0026-A GENERAL BILL by Siplin; (CO-SPONSORS) Wilson (Identical H 0027-A, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0009-A, CS/S 0010-A)

Hurricane Property Ins. Deductibles; limits application of hurricane deductible amounts in calendar year; requires Florida Hurricane Catastrophe Fund to develop deductible-loss reimbursement program for insurance companies. Amends 627.701. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/13/04 SENATE Filed; Introduced, referred to Rules and Calendar -SJ 00005

12/16/04 SENATE Died in Committee on Rules and Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 9-A

S 0014-A**GENERAL BILL/CS by General Government Appropriations; Clary; (CO-SPONSORS) Lynn; Klein; Peaden; Siplin; Atwater; Pruitt; Haridopolos; Argenziano; Dockery; Aronberg; Villalobos; Posey;

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

SENATOR: Pruitt (Continued)

S 0014-A**(Continued)

Crist (Identical 1ST ENG/H 0013-A)

Hurricane-damaged Beaches & Dunes; provides legislative findings re hurricane damage to state's beach & dune systems; requires DEP to provide report on repair & restoration of state's beaches & dunes to Governor & Legislature; requires local match for certain appropriations; limits local match to counties & municipalities with certain per capita personal income level; authorizes Executive Office of Governor to approve waiver under certain conditions, etc. Appropriation: \$68,400,000. Effective Date: 12/21/2004.

12/16/04 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00022

12/21/04

Signed by Officers and presented to Governor;

Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2004-475

H 0013-A GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Mayfield; (CO-SPONSORS) Allen; Altman; Anderson; Barreiro; Benson; Brandenburg; Bucher; Clarke; Gottlieb; Grant; Greenstein; Harrell; Hays; Hukill; Jordan; Littlefield; Machek; Murzin; Needelman; Pickens; Poppell; Porth; Sobel; Sorensen; Vana; Waters; Zapata (Identical CS/S 0014-A)
Hurricane-damaged Beaches & Dunes; provides legislative findings re hurricane damage to state's beach & dune systems; requires DEP to provide report on repair & restoration of state's beaches & dunes to Governor & Legislature; requires local match for certain appropriations; limits local match to counties & municipalities with certain per capita personal income level; authorizes Executive Office of Governor to approve waiver under certain conditions, etc. Appropriation: \$68,400,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/15/04 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 00036; Ordered engrossed -HJ 00037

12/16/04 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 14-A

S 0016-A**GENERAL BILL by Argenziano; (CO-SPONSORS) Clary; Alexander; Dockery; Siplin; Pruitt; Atwater; Peaden; Smith; Aronberg; Villalobos; Bullard; Crist (Similar H 0015-A)

Agricultural Prog./Hurricane Impact; provides legislative findings re impact of hurricanes & tropical storm of 2004 on Agriculture & Consumer Services Dept.'s citrus canker eradication & compensation programs, spread of infestation of soybean rust resulting in need to conduct surveys to determine extent of such infestation, & projected shortfall in revenues of Plant Industry TF; requires dept. to provide report on citrus canker eradication to Governor & Legislature, etc. Appropriation: \$13,100,000. Effective Date: 12/21/2004.

12/16/04 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00022

12/21/04

Signed by Officers and presented to Governor;

Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2004-476

H 0015-A GENERAL BILL by Bowen; (CO-SPONSORS) Allen; Altman; Antone;

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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SENATOR: Pruitt (Continued)

H 0015-A (Continued)

Attkisson; Barreiro; Baxley; Brandenburg; Brummer; Bullard; Cretul; Glorioso; Grant; Grimsley; Hays; Jordan; Kendrick; Littlefield; Machek; Mayfield; Murzin; Needelman; Pickens; Poppell; Sorensen; Stansel; Stargel; Traviesa; Troutman; Vana; Waters; Zapata (Similar S 0016-A)

Agric. Program/Hurricane Impact; provides legislative findings re impact of hurricanes & tropical storm of 2004 on department's citrus canker eradication & tree compensation programs, spread of infestation of soybean rust, & Caribbean fruit fly certification program; requires department to provide report on citrus canker eradication to Governor & Legislature; requires department to maximize available federal funds for certain programs, etc.

Appropriation: \$13,100,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/15/04 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Read second time -HJ 00037

12/16/04 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 16-A

S 0020-A**GENERAL BILL by Constantine; (CO-SPONSORS) Siplin; Pruitt; Villalobos; Argenziano; Clary; Peaden; Lynn; Crist; Wilson (Identical H 0019-A, Compare H 0031-A)

Hurricane-relief Funding; requires that state & affected local government provide certain amounts of matching funds following acceptance of federal public assistance funds that are conditioned upon such match; authorizes Executive Office of Governor to waive requirement under certain circumstances; requires that recipient provide required match before receiving federal hazard-mitigation funds; provides for certain exceptions, etc. Amends 252.37.

Appropriation: \$762,219,710. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/16/04 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00017; Substituted HB 19-A -SJ 00017; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 19-A

H 0019-A GENERAL BILL by Waters; (CO-SPONSORS) Barreiro; Baxley; Brummer; Bucher; Bullard; Clarke; Evers; Glorioso; Grant; Harrell; Hukill; Jordan; Legg; Littlefield; Murzin; Pickens; Sorensen; Stargel; Traviesa; Troutman; Zapata (Identical S 0020-A, Compare H 0031-A)

Hurricane-relief Funding; requires that state & affected local government provide certain amounts of matching funds following acceptance of federal public assistance funds that are conditioned upon such match; authorizes Executive Office of Governor to waive requirement under certain circumstances; requires that recipient provide required match before receiving federal hazard-mitigation funds; provides for certain exceptions, etc. Amends 252.37.

Appropriation: \$762,219,710. Effective Date: 12/21/2004.

12/16/04 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 00049

12/21/04 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor;

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

SENATOR: Pruitt (Continued)

H 0019-A (Continued)

12/21/04 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2004-482

H 0031-A GENERAL BILL by Johnson (Compare H 0019-A, S 0020-A)

Emergency Management Funding; provides matching-fund requirements for state re counties & municipalities when receiving specified financial assistance from federal Public Assistance Program. Amends 252.37. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/10/04 HOUSE Filed

12/13/04 HOUSE Introduced, referred to Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations (FC); Fiscal Council -HJ 00005

12/16/04 HOUSE Died in Committee on Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations (FC),
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 19-A

S 0028-A**GENERAL BILL by Posey; (CO-SPONSORS) Rich; Siplin; Lynn; Argenziano; Dockery; Pruitt; Clary; Klein; Peaden; Aronberg; Villalobos; Crist; Wilson (Identical H 0045-A)

Florida KidCare Program; revises requirements for documenting family income for purposes of determining child's eligibility for program. Amends 409.814. Effective Date: 12/21/2004.

12/16/04 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00022

12/21/04 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor;
Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2004-478

H 0045-A GENERAL BILL by Hasner; (CO-SPONSORS) Antone; Bendross-Mindingall; Benson; Brummer; Bucher; Bullard; Cretul; Farkas; Goldstein; Gottlieb; Grant; Greenstein; Henriquez; Hukill; Jordan; Legg; Littlefield; Meadows; Murzin; Patterson; Porth; Roberson; Sobel; Sorensen; Vana; Waters; Williams; Zapata (Identical S 0028-A)
Florida KidCare Program; revises provisions re documentation required for determination of eligibility. Amends 409.814.
Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/15/04 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Read second time -HJ 00032

12/16/04 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 28-A

**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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